

PRETTY PENNY

**TURNED FOR FARMERS
BY ADVANCE IN
WHEAT.**

**Sensational Opening in Pit
of Chicago Exchange
This Morning.**

**FIRST SALES
OF MAY WHEAT**

**Were Three and Quarter
Cents Above Closing
on Monday.**

**Highest Price in Twenty
Years Except in One
Instance.**

Chicago, April 7.—On a sensational opening wheat on the board of trade today touched the highest point, with one exception in more than twenty years. First sales of May wheat were at 91.24 to 91.25 1/4, the latter figure being 3 1/4 cents higher than the close Monday. Opening figures for July wheat were 1 1/4 to 1 3/4 to 2 1/4 to 2 1/2 cents higher, sales being made at 91.10 to 91.11. Excitement was reaching its peak before the close of the great going, announced the beginning of the day's business. Yesterday was a holiday here owing to the municipal election, but, during the speculative lull, bullish power manifested at a rate which insured a record breaking advance today. Liverpool advanced yesterday and continued today being reported 2 1/4 to 2 1/2 over Monday's closing prices. An English authority started the trade with the estimate that Europe would require 275 million bushels.

MONEY TALKS

Cash Buys More | Anywhere
Than Credit | Everywhere

FOR FURNITURE LOANS—SEE US.

LIMA LOAN CO.

209 Opera House Bldg.
Both Phones. Lima, O.

THE PIONEER SNAKE STORY CONTEST

Just across the line dividing Allen and Putnam counties there is a little creek, not so big as Big Creek. In that stream there was a deep hole in which when I was a kid, I used to fish. And in those early days we got some fishing poles from the very same present snake. My story has its date in 1844. I went to see my cousin, but I found someone else there before me. I caught him lying out on the water—a monster red bellied black snake the largest one I ever saw, and I have seen thousands of them. I got a heavy pole, and with out fear marched down to the water's edge, rolled up my pants as high as I could get them and waded in until I thought I could reach his snake-head. Then I took the pole in both hands to make sure of hitting him about the middle. When the pole struck him, he threw his head about three feet out of the water, opened his mouth wide enough to take in a corn meal ball, and made a bee-line for me with his body half

out of the water. He did not get to where I had stood in the water, however, I was gone for I went up a nearby hill at a thirtieth clip. When I looked around I saw him paddling down stream. After going a couple of rods he stopped and reared up on the water. Again I leaped up my nerve, got my pole, waded in, and his head was a stunning blow on his head. He twisted himself into three coils and disappeared under the water. I felt I had done him, but stood around in development. In half a minute up came his tail, then a part of his body. Then I hustled out of the water, and got behind a tree just as his head came up above the water about two feet, and ready to fight. He looked about for me. But the time favored me. Mistaking the direction I had taken, he started for the opposite shore, and so great was his size that he moved the mud from the bottom of the stream just as he was in the water of a river stream.

LOCAL MEDICS Held an Interesting Meeting Last Night.

The Medical society of Allen county held a very pleasant meeting last night with a good attendance despite the bad weather, and every member who braved the stormy evening seemed unusually good natured and interested in the work and subject of the evening. Dr. Huntley had the paper of the evening, on the subject of "Surgical Gynecology," and at its close a spirited discussion took place, which was opened by Dr. T. R. Terwilliger, who was followed by Drs. Vail, Tussing, Rudy, Steiner, Bates, Parent, Chenoweth, and then closed by Dr. Huntley. For the meeting scheduled for next week, Dr. Swanson was to make an address, and Dr. R. D. Silver, of Sidney, president of the State Medical association, had been invited to attend. Dr. Swanson was unable to prepare his article at this time, so the invitation to the state president was transferred to the next regular meeting, April 30th, when the local association hope to have him present. The members present last night were Drs. Johnson, Huntley, Bice, Vail, Parent, Bachmayer, Tussing, Laudick, Rudy, Sidney, Bates, Terwilliger, Burton, Mumaugh, Lickly, Chenoweth, D. W. Steiner and Thomas. During the spring every one would be benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic to the kidneys after the extra strain of winter, and it purifies the blood by stimulating the kidneys, and causing them to eliminate the impurities from it. Foley's Kidney Remedy imparts new life and vigor. Pleasant to take. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

WILL FOUNDED SCHOOL

**For Telegraphers and Erect
New Building for the
Enterprise**

**IS INTENTION
OF NEW COMPANY.**

**Directors and Stockholders
Are Well Known Local
Business Men.**

A number of Lima business men are interested in a new enterprise which they feel is much needed, and which will result in bringing to Lima a large number of students and equip them for active service in business life. This is the Lima school of telegraphy and the company was incorporated with a capital of \$100,000. The stockholders are five in number, and are H. H. Schnable, C. A. Graham, George B. Baily, O. G. O'Dell and W. E. Baily. The company will be under the name of The Standard Telegraph Academy Company, and on Monday evening the stockholders held their first meeting and elected the following board of directors: President, H. H. Schnable; first vice president, G. E. Baily; second vice president, C. A. Graham; third vice president, W. E. Baily; secretary and treasurer, O. G. O'Dell. The real head of the enterprise will be Mr. Schnable, who has had a number of years experience in the work and who understands his business thoroughly. Connected with him are men of ability and who are well known all over the city. The present plans are to build a new structure which shall answer all requirements for the study and practice of telegraphy and this will be a model institution of its kind. The fact that the school connected with the normal school at Valparaiso, Ind. is the nearest to this city, and the recent law compelling the employers to change operators every eight hours, makes this new enterprise seem one that is bound to succeed with business acumen and intelligence back of it.

REV. WEAVER Officiated at Marriage of Country People.

Rev. A. H. Weaver officiated at the marriage of Miss Aila Elizabeth Redmon, of Ottaville, Ohio, and Mr. Charles Walter Elzerst, of Westminster, which took place yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. The young people came to the parsonage unattended, and the ceremony was a very quiet one. The groom, who is the son of prominent people near Westminster, is employed in this city, and he and his bride will reside here.

TWENTY DAYS For Beating Board Bill Sentence Suspended.

Charles Kemp was arraigned in Justice Everett's court Wednesday morning on the charge of jumping a board bill of \$5 at the New Kensington hotel 555 south Main street. He was found guilty and sentenced to pay the costs and be committed to the Toledo work house for 20 days. The jail sentence was suspended upon condition that he pay the costs and the bill which he agreed to do immediately.

DIED FROM GRIEF. Mrs. Ora Lee Follows Her Husband to Grave.

The remains of Mrs. Ora Lee the wife of A. B. Lee, deceased, will be brought here tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock over the C. H. & D. from Paulding, Ohio. They will be taken directly to Epworth church, where the funeral services will be held. Rev. A. H. Weaver will preach the funeral sermon and interment will follow at Woodlawn. The Lees were former residents of Lima, and when living here, resided on Harrison avenue. A few years ago Mr. Lee was taken ill and died, and his wife, who was childless, went to Paulding to live with a sister. However, she never recovered from the shock of the death of her husband, and finally died because of grief. The funeral service which takes place at 10 o'clock, will be attended in a body by the members of Woodmen's Circle, of which the deceased was a member.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. T. Black, of west Spring street, left this morning for Robinson, Ill., where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Britt for several days. Miss Florence Faurot has resigned her position with The Lima Home & Savings Association and leaves April 12th for Los Angeles, Cal.

MAKING PROGRESS Toward Early Occupancy of New Quarters.

The Newson-Hawisher Department Store Company is vigorously pushing the work that must be completed before it can realize its ambition to occupy its new quarters. Teams are busy today unloading two cars of lumber which will be used in remodeling the Cincinnati block and in building additional stores to the Ashton and Orchard blocks. Hints are now being received for this work and the contracts will be let Monday of next week. The Ashton drug store has been taken over by the company and will for a short time be under the personal direction of Mr. Harry Evans who has been the clerk in charge.

GETTING THE BEST YOU CAN

When it comes to spending money, sentiment doesn't count. The whole question is—getting the best you can for the money you spend. That's where this store counts biggest. We do give (and we always will give) bigger values for the money than any store in Lima.

WOMEN'S SLEEVES AND BELTS. 15 new styles in black and red with heavy metal buckles. 39c

IT PAYS TO DEAL AT THE
BOSTON STORE,
233-235 North Main St.

GOWN. Women's Modest Night Gowns with yokes of tucks and embroidery. greatest value ever offered in Lima. Thursday. 26c

Women's New Spring Sample Suits At One-Third Saving.

A great chance to secure your Easter Suit and pay one-third less than regular prices. It's a saving too, understand, on the best Suits that the high grade makers produce. Every new model, all new shades, all new materials in this matchless assortment.

SAMPLE Suits, worth \$15.00, for	\$ 9.95
SAMPLE Suits, worth \$20.00, for	\$12.95
SAMPLE Suits, worth \$25.00, for	\$16.50

\$7.50 DRESS SKIRTS.
Women's Chiffon Panamas, Novelty Worked, and All Wool Voile Skirts, with folds of self materials or best quality satin, all \$7.50 values. **\$4.95**

\$5.00 DRESS SKIRTS.
Women's stylish Skirts of all Wool Panamas, Brilliantness, and Fancy gray mixtures, new flare models, trimmed with folds of self materials or satin at **\$2.98**

SPECIAL IN UNDERWEAR.
Women's beautiful lace and embroidery trimmed corsets, covers, best 50c and 75c values. Thursday. 39c

Corset Covers, with yokes of Val lace and ribbon beading. 19c

Drawers, Chiffon lace trimmed and hemstitched tucked, worth 25c. 17c

Petticoats, beautiful embroidery and lace trimmed white petticoats, sandals, worth up to \$1.00, at **\$1.85**

PETTICOATS.
\$1.00 Undershirts With Embroidery Flourishes, 60c.

Lightweight lustral Petticoats, in black and colors, with embroidered ruffles, also white cambric petticoats with embroidery ruffles and inserting bands, best \$1 values in the world. 69c

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.
Women's Lisle Hose best 35c real gauge Lisle Hose, in black, tan, pink, blue, lavender. 19c

Women's Hose, best 50c and 75c imported Hosiery, in black, tan and all shades. Thursday. 39c

Union Suits, women's 50c spring weight ribbed union suits. 35c

Lisle Vests, women's 25c Silk taped and lace trimmed Swiss Vests. 15c

Long Sleeve Vests, women's 25c pure white long sleeve undervests. 15c

Sale of Easter Waists.

Women's \$1.50 Embroidery and lace trimmed white lawn and lingerie waists, in 15 handsome new styles and patterns, exceptional value giving even for this. 99c

WOMEN'S \$4 AND \$5 SILK AND NET WAISTS, \$2.98.

Brussels Net Waists, with beautiful lace and medallion trimmings, also Taffeta and Mezzaline Silk Waists, in black and wanted shades very special at **\$2.98**

GLOVE BARGAINS.
Lisle Gloves, Women's 2-clasp silk finish lisle gloves in black, white and colors worth 19c. 25c

Silk Gloves, women's pure silk double tipped gloves better than sold elsewhere at 30c. 39c

Kid Glove, women's 9c German Kid Glove 2-clasp style in black, tan, brown and gray. 65c

DRY GOODS UNDERSELLING.
Dress Gingham, Best 12 1/2c quality dress Gingham in new neat patterns, also plain color chambrays. 8 1/2c

Silk Finish Pongees, in black, white and all fashionable shades, best 2 1/2c quality. Special 17c

White Mercerized Waists, fine quality satin finish madras usual 2 1/2c quality on sale at 16c

EXTRA SPECIAL.
Neck Ruchings, Neck lengths of silk ruchings, in black white and colors, worth 10c, at 4c

Hair Rolls, 24 inch size blonde or black hair rolls equal to any sold at 25c Thursday. 11c

Elastic Belts, Women's 25c Silk Elastic Belts with metal buckles in black and colors newest styles. 19c

CARPETS, RUGS, LINOLEUMS, MATTINGS AND CURTAINS.

The greatest aggregation in Northwestern Ohio to select from. The latest patterns and colorings in choice floor coverings. Come in and make your selection now, and have your purchase laid aside and ready.

- Fine three-ply Carpets, best value shown this season, price, per yd. 95c.
- The best standard grades 2-ply all wool Carpets, full yard wide, choice new colorings, price, per yard 65c and 70c.
- Choice cotton warp Carpets, all spring patterns at 50c and 55c.
- Rag and Granite Carpets, extra good quality at 25c and 35c.
- Stair Carpets at 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c.
- Carpet Sweepers at \$2.00 and \$2.50 each.
- The standard makes of Linoleums come in 2 and 4 yard widths, choice new colorings, printed, per square yard, 50c and 75c.
- Both Imported and Domestic makes in Inlaid Linoleums at \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.65 per square yd.
- Fine Tapestry Carpets at 65c, 85c and 95c.
- Axminster Carpets at \$1.25 and \$1.50 per yard.
- New Nottingham Curtains at 49c, 65c, 89c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50 and up.
- Fine Swiss Curtains at 39c, 49c, 59c, 75c, 85c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up.
- Cable Net Curtains at \$2.50, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$6 and up.
- Brussel Net and Irish Point Curtains, at \$5, \$6.50, \$7, \$8, \$10, \$12 and up.
- Visit our Carpet Department for the greatest bargains ever offered in Carpets, Rugs and Draperies. Prices guaranteed the lowest.

R. T. Gregg & Co.



**The Merit of the
BUCKEYE**

Is not so much the price as in what you get for the price.

THAT is why "The Buckeye Hat" is so popular and the greatest seller in the city. The price is an attraction to be sure, but the main reason for their phenomenal sale lies in the fact that they are Quality Hats, correct in style and up to requirements in every particular. We are showing a magnificent assortment of them for Easter in all styles, shades and sizes, at the one price.

\$2.00

The Buckeye Hatters
114 East Market Street.

IN A MAMMOTH VOTING CONTEST

The Daily and Semi-Weekly Times-Democrat Will Send

FOUR WOMEN

—UNION ADV—

TOUR of EUROPE

The Conditions.

You must be between the ages of 16 and 45 and of good character. You must live in Lima, Allen County or Cridersville, and you must receive the highest number of votes of any candidate in the district in which you reside. THAT'S ALL.

How to Nominate.

Clip out the nomination ballot which appears in this and all subsequent issues of the Times-Democrat.

Write the name and address of the lady you wish to nominate on the ballot and bring or send to this office. The lady is then a candidate.

How to Vote.

Clip out the ballot of this and all subsequent issues of the Times-Democrat. Write the candidate's name on the ballot and bring or mail to the Times-Democrat office. If you wish to do more, pay a subscription to the paper and you will get special ballots for a large number of votes—you are helping her to win.

District Competition Only.

Candidates competing for a tour, do not compete against candidates living in other districts. There are Four Districts and Four Tours—one to each district. Candidates are not confined to getting votes or subscriptions in the district in which they are entered, but may secure votes and subscriptions any place in the wide world.

Contest Is Very High Class.

Those entering the contest may rest assured that they are not taking part in any catch penny affair. The system upon which the contest is being conducted is perfect in every detail. At all times every record is open to inspection; the tours are the best that can be procured and no person will be allowed to compete who is not of good character.

Balloting Is Free.

Those who pay their subscriptions during the contest in order to give a candidate the vote, are paying for the paper only—not the votes. No votes will be sold. For every dollar paid during the contest on which votes are issued, value received will be dealt out in news of the world. Old as well as new subscribers are entitled to vote. The votes are given gratis.

Division of Districts.

The territory of the Times-Democrat has been divided into four equal districts and the young woman in each district who receives the highest number of votes in the district in which she resides will win a tour.

DISTRICT NO. 1—All of the City of Lima lying north of the center of Market street.

DISTRICT NO. 2—All of the City of Lima lying south of the center of Market street.

DISTRICT NO. 3—All of Allen County lying in Monroe, Richland, Bath, Jackson, Perry and Anglaize townships.

DISTRICT NO. 4—All of Allen County lying in Sugar Creek, German, Shawnee, Marion, Amanda and Spencer townships and Cridersville in Anglaize county.

Rush in Your Nominations. An Early Start is Half the Battle.

Names Will be Published of Candidates in Friday's Paper.

CLIP THE BALLOTS.

Vote Today and Every Day!

If you are interested in the contest either for yourself or a friend call and get a pamphlet, giving full details: Subscription books are now ready. CALL AND GET ONE IF YOU WISH TO GET VOTES for yourself or a friend.

WIDESPREAD INTEREST AROUSED IN CONTEST

Entire City as Well as County Active in the Times-Democrat Big Enterprise.

Nomination Ballots Pouring in.—List Will be Published Friday.—Have You Nominated Your Friend?

That the big Tour-of-Europe Contest which The Times-Democrat inaugurated with last Saturday's issue, will be an assured success and one of the most interesting contests ever held in Lima and Allen county is evident by the manner in which the citizens of the city and county are already showing their interest. Although only a few days old and hardly are the particulars known to the general public, yet the Times-Democrat and the contest manager are kept busy answering questions pertaining to this wonderful enterprise. And it is no wonder when one stops to consider that seldom if ever, are such prizes offered to the public outside of the largest cities in the state. Every mail is bringing names of young ladies who contemplate entering the contest and from the present indications the list of nominations that will appear in Friday's issue will be a large one. No one having a friend that they wish to enter this race, should hesitate placing her name in nomination before Friday, as an early start is half the battle.

On every hand the Times-Democrat are receiving words of praise for offering such grand prizes in their contest, and it is safe to say that never before and perhaps never again will the citizens of this city and county have such an offer made them. Just think of a five weeks' tour of Europe with all expenses paid from the time you leave Lima on July 15th until you return and then think if you have not a friend who you would not assist in securing this grand offer. The trip will include all points of interest in Canada, France, Scotland and England, the party returning home by the way of Boston. These tours are under the personal management of Thomas Cook & Co., who have 67 years experience in the tour business and who are prepared to look after every want of those going.

The dream of a lifetime can be realized by some one, if they only take advantage of this wonderful offer. It will be an education in itself; a trip you may never again have a chance to take. What better vacation could anyone wish for than a trip over another ocean to the land of history and romance. Probably no movement has been started in years in this section of the state, that has aroused and will create as much interest as will this Tour-of-Europe contest. Everybody is talking about it, and all are waiting for the list of nominations to appear. By Friday all the subscription blanks and information to candidates will be ready and any one interested in the contest will be given any information that they may desire. If you contemplate assisting any candidate and wish information regarding the contest, don't fail to call upon the contest manager. He will answer all questions for you.

Are You Clipping the Ballots? All that is necessary to place a friend in nomination is to clip the ballot, fill out the name, address and district and send or bring to this office. All nomination ballots are now good for 10 votes and will be good until April 17. After that

date each ballot will be good for only one vote each. Save your ballots and vote them now. By so doing your friend may be a winner of one of the tours.

Watch for the list which will appear in Friday's issue of the Times-Democrat. Clip your ballots and vote them for your favorite candidate.

CAPTAIN FOHL'S MEN

Find Difficulty in Training Against High Wind and in Mud.

ST. LOUIS NATIONALS TO BE HERE FRIDAY.

Grand Rapids Scheduled for Games on Saturday and Sunday.

The heavy rain Monday night and Tuesday proved detrimental to the training of the Lima base ball recruits. San Felipe park was a sea of mud by noon Tuesday, making practice an impossibility. Captain Fohl ordered the team out Wednesday afternoon to toss the ball a little if no further work can be done.

The contests of Sunday and Monday proved beneficial to the men and several more exhibitions will give the management a fair idea of the material on hand, at which time several releases will be handed out.

The St. Louis Nationals will be here Friday for a contest, providing the grounds are in any condition for play, and the boys claim that they will start the run getting in the next game.

On Saturday and Sunday, April 11 and 12, the Grand Rapids team of the Central League, are scheduled at San Felipe park. These games should prove interesting, as many maintain that the Central league is not as fast as the Ohio State was last season.

DIRT FOR SALE.

The Lima Ice & Storage Co., have for sale about 1000 yards of clay dirt. Telephone 164 or 451, or call at room No. 3 Wise block. 9-11

Suits, Jackets, Skirts and waists for spring at Light & Conner's. 5-11

Le Tigre

NOMINATION BALLOT.

Counting Ten Votes.

For Miss or Mrs.

Address

District Number

In the Times-Democrat Tour-of-Europe Contest, subject to conditions governing contest.

Ballots to be counted must be cut out, carefully trimmed around border and deposited unfolded.

Use this ballot to nominate and vote for a friend in the Tour-of-Europe contest.

This Ballot Void after April 17th.

WHY NOT JOIN THE PROCESSION?

It is unlike any other procession you ever saw. It has no objective points but it has a starting place. Each and every man in this procession starts from corner Market and Union streets after being fitted with a \$9.98 suit or top coat, and he marches wherever business or fancy leads him. There is no

BAND OF MUSIC

Each man whistles his own tune and goes slow or fast, without regard to his neighbor's gait, and each man has bought such a suit as suits him, and fits him, regardless of what his neighbor wears. Those who walk in this procession don't try to keep step for they are going in so many different directions. The only uniformity is in **THE SMILE OF SATISFACTION** they all wear. Why not join the procession and

SAVE 5 DOLLARS.

Get your suit or top coat for Easter today and have it off your mind, thus avoiding the rush on Saturday.

The Original \$9.98 Clothing Parlors.

P. B. SWEENEY, Manager.

Cor. Market and Union Sts. Lima, Ohio.

AMATEUR BASE BALL.

The Times-Democrat sporting department will publish the city amateur's baseball contest as usual. The managers may book games through our columns and results of games will be published.

The managers will conduct a fair on the sporting department and make thoroughgoing reports by clipping the following conditions and regulations:

Workers intended for publication on the same day as to be sent to the office at 9:30 in the morning.

Write as plainly as possible and use only one side of the paper. This is important.

Head to result of the game on the day it is played or the local meeting. Games two or three days old are not wanted.

The carnival of your spelling and also accuracy of scores.

This should be a happy amateur year and it is already time to organize.

MANHATTAN FILE is set up in a table with reading rack. It is applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store.

LAKEVIEW CITIZENS

Arrested for Violation of the Rose Law.

Five citizens of Lakeview were arrested Monday night by Deputy Sheriff Shaw and Chief of Police Fessler and brought here to Probate Court to answer charges of violating the Rose law.

Mayor Charles Miller is charged with selling whiskey, A. L. Byers and Al Anderson are charged with furnishing, and E. D. Carr and Firm Wirtick are charged with keeping a place where intoxicating liquors were sold.

Two men, Messrs. Drake and Brooker, who claim to be from Columbus, filed the affidavits in Probate Court after making two visits to Lakeview, ostensibly on hunting expeditions.

Mr. Carr, who is an undertaker, says that the man Drake, who makes the charge against him, was a brother Odd Fellow, located about his place considerably while in Lakeview and upon his invitation Drake went to lodge with him while in Lakeview.

Mr. Carr says Drake asked him for whiskey one evening, complaining of being ill, but he says he told Drake he had none.

All of the accused pleaded not guilty and their hearings were set for successive days beginning with the Carr hearing Friday of this week. The hearing of Mayor Miller comes next Tuesday. He says he thinks there is some trap in the arrests.

Bellefontaine Examiner.

You feel the life-giving current. A gentle warmth fills the nerves and blood. It's a pleasure to take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Tea or Tablets. H. F. Vordkamp.

DR. J. K. BARNISTER, DENTIST. AT ROME. apr-2w

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WEATHER—WEST HIGH WINDS.

Washington, April 7.—Ohio: Fair
in south; rain or snow in north
tonight; colder; Thursday fair,
colder in southeast portion. High
west winds.

The "do-nothing policy" of a re-
publican legislature is looking bad
when compared with the "do-some-
thing policy" of Governor Harmon.

Notwithstanding the frequent and
vehement denial of the existence of
trusts, a reading of the Payne tariff
will convince the skeptic that a
few are in existence, and that they
have put in some good ticks—for
themselves.

Governor Harmon's way of getting
out from under the embarrassment
of a republican legislature is the best
ever. He goes ahead and does those
things he knows he should do, and
which the people of Ohio want him to
do, without ever giving a thought to
the legislature that strove to defeat
his reforms. Indeed he does not even
remember that Treadway and Cleve-
land were ever the smallest sort of
hindrances in the way of his ac-
complishing the promises he made
the taxpayers of Ohio in the last
campaign.

THAT SACRED TARIFF.

Brief though it was, President
Taft's message to congress at the
close of the special session called
by him to revise the tariff, was long
enough to contain a most astounding
admission.

Read it: "THE PRESENT TARIFF
ACT, WITH THE OTHER
COURSES OF GOVERNMENT REVENUE,
DOES NOT FURNISH IN-
COME ENOUGH TO PAY THE AU-
THORIZED EXPENDITURES."

Isn't that enough to make Nelson
Dingley turn over in his grave, after
all these years of "abounding pros-
perity" and "unexampled prosperity,"
and "unparalleled prosperity" we have
been told about in every presidential
message since 1875?

So this is the outcome of that
"sacred tariff," that "scientific tar-
iff," that "sound and business-like
tariff," which only the "experienced"
statesmen of "the grand old party"
in their superior wisdom know how
to make.

Evidently somebody has been fool-
ing the people during the past
twelve years.

Whether Lincoln said it or not,
there is no denying that you can fool
all the people some of the time and
some of the people all the time but
you can't fool all of the people all
the time. We know this saying is
true because the g. o. p. has been
able to fool all of the g. o. p. voters
some of the time and some of the g.
o. p. voters all the time.

WORDS THAT BURNED.

Governor Harmon's special mes-
sage on taxation closed with the
words, "I wish the responsibility to
rest where it belongs."

The governor had just called at-
tention to the fact that bills intro-
duced to secure better enforcement
of present tax laws had not been
passed; he had just declared that he
could not see the legislature adjourn
"leaving matters as they are for an-
other year, without once more urg-
ing upon you the importance of ac-
tion preventing the heavy drafts on
the public savings;" and then he put
it plainly that if these heavy drafts
on the public savings are to be per-
mitted, "when they can be readily
avoided, I want the responsibility to
rest where it belongs."

It was that concluding clause, "I
want the responsibility to rest where
it belongs," that hurt.

As the clerks read these words
they sounded like peals of thunder
in the ears of those republican mem-
bers who had pursued a partisan
course of obstruction in the legisla-
ture throughout the special session.
They knew where the responsibility
belongs.

To them these words sounded like
the climax of rumbles and mumbles
and rumbles of growing dissatisfac-
tion among the people they began to
hear more distinctly during the clos-
ing days of the session, and which
they will hear more distinctly before
the next state election.

"I want the responsibility to rest
where it belongs" are words that
burn. The short-sighted republican
members who frittered away their
opportunity during two weeks of a
special session know where the re-
sponsibility rests, and so do the
people.

Not all the frantic speeches of
Cleveland, Treadway and other
mouthpieces of the state republican
machine, will be able to howl down

the long storm of indignation
among the people of Ohio.

STREET PAVING.

The paving of the thoroughfares
of a city indicates a progressive spirit
and a love for improvement and the
beautiful interest in her people, but
the work is such a thing as going mad
on the question and that is about
the condition in Lima today.

The paving of five miles of streets
has been given consideration by the
city council, the board of public ser-
vice and the city engineer depart-
ment upon petition from the owners
of property abutting the proposed
improvements.

The cost to the taxpayers at large
for the city's portion of these im-
provements together with other pub-
lic work is estimated in connection
with them, as scheduled as follows by
City Engineer Bruce:

Improvement	City's share
North West street	\$4,500
Mulberry alley	32
West Market street	25,900
Elm street	5,600
Taffinger sewer	3,375
Kibby street	4,500
McKibben street	5,500
Elizabeth street	5,800
Albert street	340
Bakers alley	40
Franklin avenue	540
St. Johns avenue	3,900
Collist street	200
Shawnee street	285
Atlantic avenue	1,800
N. Metcalf street	1,800
Spring street	20,000
12 in. water main on Market	17,000

Total cost city's share \$101,292
That amount is within five thou-
sand dollars of the amount the city
can issue bonds for in any one year
for its share of public improvements,
yet it does not comprise all the de-
mands that will be made for property
owners on other streets are in readi-
ness to present petitions to council
asking for paving and other im-
provements in which the city will
have to help bear the expense.

How is this large sum to be raised?
There is but one way and that is
by a general levy on every bit of tax-
able property in the city. Although
bonds will be authorized and sold,
provision must be made to pay the
interest and provide a sinking fund
for their eventual payment, and that
all means increased taxation for ev-
erybody.

It would seem then the part of
business sense to call a halt on any
improvements other than those al-
ready authorized.

An addition of over one hundred
thousand dollars a year to the city's
indebtedness is not a pleasant thing
for those who pay the taxes to con-
template.

That eighty thousand dollar bond
issue for a municipal lighting plant,
which looked so big in certain news-
paper editors, and against which
they clamored so strenuously be-
cause of the burden it would put on
the taxpayers, seems to be forgotten
in their desire to have the city as-
sume an indebtedness of over one
hundred thousand dollars as her
share of the cost of improving a doc-
en streets.

"Peasant politics" is coming home
to roost in a way that is unpleasant
to the republicans who have con-
trolled the officers of state for a
good many years, and in a way that
means much to the people of Ohio.
Governor Harmon is the "man of
the hour." He is right on the spot
when the gang try to pull off any
sort of graft, and has started a
cleaning out that will uncover many
shady things in the state government.
The legislature sought to conceal
under the cloak of a bi-partisan
board of two.

NOT GUILTY

**Plea Entered by Defendant
on Drunk Charge.**

John Ebersole was arraigned in
mayor's court Wednesday morning
on the charge of drunkenness, to
which he entered a plea of not guilty.
The case will be heard Thursday
morning.

Sarah Blakely and Laura Cunning-
ham, were arrested Tuesday evening
on the public square, charged with
being common characters. Each en-
tered a plea of not guilty and will
be given a hearing Thursday morn-
ing.

The ladies' society of Olivet Pres-
byterian church will hold a sale of
baked goods at the grocery of L. D.
Smith, 688 south Main street, Satur-
day, beginning at 10 o'clock. 3-21

MASONIC DANCE NOTICE.

The Masons will dance as usual on
Thursday evening, the 8th inst. A
good time is assured all in attend-
ance. All members are cordially in-
vited.

**NOW IS THE TIME TO PROTECT
YOUR PROPERTY AGAINST LOSS
BY WIND STORM WITH A TOR-
NADO POLICY IN THE COLLINS
AGENCY WHO ISSUES A LIBERAL
POLICY AT LOWEST RATES. 216
OPERA HOUSE BLOCK. BOTH
PHONES.**

FLESH-FORMING FOOD.

When you buy a package of Sa-
mose, the great flesh forming food,
weigh yourself and see how much
you gain in the first week's use. W.
M. Melville will tell of many of his
customers who a month ago were
thin, pale and haggard, but who
are now, through the use of Samose,
plump, strong and happy, with per-
fect health and attractive flesh. He
has seen so many instances of the
wonderful power of Samose to re-
store the weak and sick to strength
and health, and to make good nat-
ural flesh that he gives his person-
al guarantee with every package of
Samoses he sells to refund the money
if it does not prove satisfactory.

Samoses is a pure preparation and
can be used with absolute confidence
by the most delicate. It gives re-
markable results with children who
are weak and run down and without
appetite. It builds up the thin, pale,
puny girl and woman to perfect
plumpness and health. It is the en-
tire flesh-forming food of its kind and
in addition, it strengthens every or-
gan of the body, restoring strength
and health to the whole system.

April 7-14

A BAPTIST ELDER

Restored to Health by Vinol.

I was thin, dull and weak from
indigestion and general debility, also
suffered from vertigo. I saw a col-
orful presentation of Vinol, and
ordered and decided to give it a trial
and the results were most gratifying.
After taking two bottles I regained
my strength and am now feeling as
usually well. Henry Cunningham,
Elder Baptist Church, Kingston, N. C.

Vinol is not a patent medicine,
but a preparation composed of the
medicinal elements of cods' livers
combined with a tonic iron and wine.
Vinol creates a hearty appetite, tones
up the organs of digestion and makes
rich, red blood. In this natural man-
ner Vinol creates strength for the
run-down, over-worked and debilitated,
and for delicate children and old
people. For chronic coughs, colds
and bronchitis Vinol is unequalled.
All such persons in this vicinity
are asked to try Vinol on our offer
to refund their money if it fails to
give satisfaction.
H. F. Vorkamp, Druggist, Lima.

FACTS ABOUT ALCOHOL.

Dr. T. A. MacNicholl, of New
York City, surgeon of the Red
Cross hospital, in a paper on
"The Influence of Alcohol on
School Children," declared that
recent studies of the cause of
deficiency and incompetency of
children in the public schools
reveals the startling fact that
much of this is traceable to beer
and spirits given the children
and to the alcoholic drinking
parents.

Studies of children of all the
large schools who appear feeble,
muddled and are called "dull-
heads" because of their inability
to learn showed that alcohol is
one of the most prominent
causes, as much as poverty,
ill health and other conditions.

Children who are given beer
by their parents as concentrated
food are always below the aver-
age and children whose parents
use spirits constantly are largely
of the degenerate class. Such
children are deficient in health,
suffer from the bad hygienic
surroundings of schools and
have low vitality.

These children are difficult to
manage and cannot be taught
with the same facility. These
are statistical facts, and not
theories. Alcohol is the largest
factor in the causation of feeble
minded, imbecile children as
seen in public schools.

Such children should be
taught in separate departments,
as they are unfit to a large de-
gree to follow the studies car-
ried on in ordinary schools.

The Bed-rock of Success
lies in a keen, clear brain, backed
by indomitable will and resistless
energy. Such power comes from the
splendid health that Dr. King's New
Life Pills impart. They vitalize ev-
ery organ and build up brain and
body. J. A. Harmon, Lincrore, W.
Va., writes: "They are the best pills
I ever used." 25c at H. F. Vork-
kamp's drug store.

JURY HAS RETIRED

**In Contested Will Case of
Kohli Against Kauf-
man and Others.**

**DECREE GRANTED
BY JUDGE BAILEY.**

**Contested Divorce Case of
Interest Assigned Trial
Thursday.**

Judge Klinger delivered his charge
to the jury in the contested will case
of Kohli and others against Kauf-
man and others, late Thursday af-
ternoon, the entire day having been
devoted to the arguments. The
trial began Tuesday of last week and
was postponed on Friday until Mon-
day, when the work was again tak-
en up. The case involves property
valued at about \$100,000 and it is
probable that the jury will take con-
siderable time in reviewing the testi-
mony offered.

Decree Granted.
During the noon hour, Judge Bail-
ey heard the divorce case of May I.
Routt vs. Leonard R., and granted a
decree to the plaintiff on the grounds
of gross neglect and restored her to
her maiden name, May I. Plasse.

Case Assigned.
The divorce case of Mary Kachen-
meister vs. John Kachenmeister,
which was filed January 14, 1919, is
assigned for trial tomorrow. The
plaintiff seeks a decree on the grounds
of habitual drunkenness and gross
neglect of duty. The husband
had filed an answer which indicates
a hot contest.

On March 1, the defendant in the
above action filed a suit against
Hugue Francis, of south Main street,
for \$15,000 damages for alienation
of his wife's affections. These facts
will serve to make the trial of the
divorce case interesting.

Trial Begun.
The case of Katherine Purdy vs.
Judson Harmon, receiver of the C.
H. & D. Railway Company, came to
trial this morning before Judge
Bailey. A jury was secured before
noon, and the attorneys expect to fin-
ish the case Thursday.

Released.
The board of commissioners took
action Wednesday morning, releasing
28 prisoners from the county jail,
who were committed until fine and
costs were paid. Sheriff Vanganten
still has 10 boarders, awaiting the
action of the grand jury.

SANTORIA.
The Kid You Have Always Knew
Is Here
Carroll H. Ritchie

GLOVES FOR EASTER.
LONG Kn gloves in black
white and tan 12 button
length \$2.50. 16 button
length \$3.00

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SPECIALTY STORE.

GLOVES FOR EASTER.
Buy your gloves at the old
reliable glove store, \$1.00,
\$1.25 and \$1.50.

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Of new and up-to-date merchandise in every section of the store.

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery.

Complete Assortments for Easter and Spring Wear.

Ladies' Gauze Lisle Hose in black, tan
and the new spring shades, special,
pair 15c
Ladies' Hose in plain or mercerized
lisle, black, tan and the new spring
shades, specially good values ... 25c
Ladies' Hose, assorted colored polka
dots in the newest colorings, special,
pair 39c

Ladies' fine Gauze Lisle Hose, plain or
embroidered, a great variety of styles,
best values at, pair 50c
Ladies' Silk Hose, in black and colors,
good value at \$1.25, our price, pr. \$1.
Children's Mercerized or Plain Hose, in
black, tan and colors, best values
at 25c

Easter Petticoats, Best Values.

\$6.00 SKIRTS, \$4.98.

Fine Taffeta Silk Skirts
with extra deep flounce
and under-ruffle in black
and the new spring shades,
best \$6.00 values, Easter
special,

\$4.98

See Window Display.

Heatherbloom and Feather Silk Petticoats in black and the new
spring shades

\$5.00 SKIRTS, \$3.98.

Taffeta Silk Skirts in
black and the new spring
shades, deep flounce, best
\$5.00 values, Easter spec-
ial,

\$3.98

See Window Display.

NEW CORSET MODELS.

Your new Easter outfit will not be complete without one of these popular
Corsets:

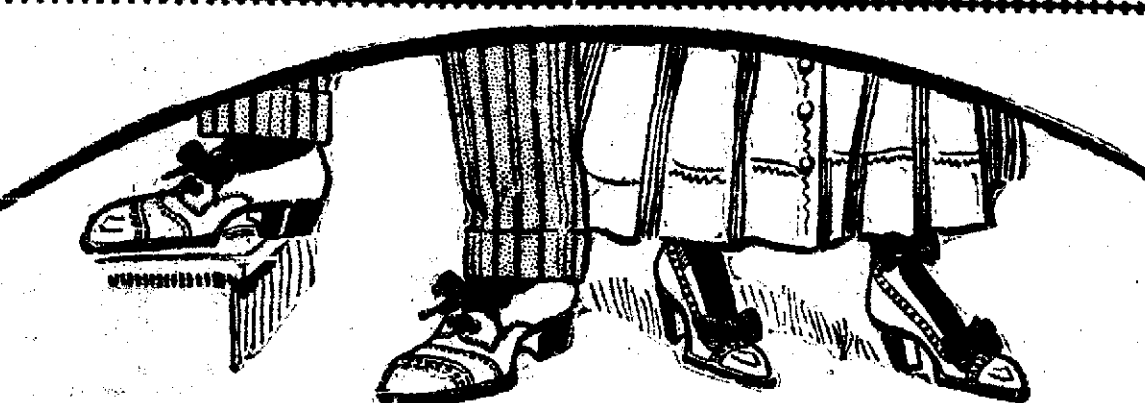
C. B. Corsets for the
woman of fashion the cor-
set that will give the pre-
vailing fashionable figure
it gives grace of contour,
ease in movement and
completely comfortable,
priced \$1.00 to \$5.00.

The new spring models
of **R. & G. Corsets** will de-
light every woman who
seeks both style and com-
fort in a perfect fitting
corset. We show all the
popular shapes, priced at
\$1.00 to \$3.50.

G. D. Corsets are worn
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erywhere because the G.
D. comfort and pliability
are always combined with
the latest fashion features,
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Wilhelmina Corsets,
priced \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

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Choice Styles in Low Cut Shoes.

Everybody will be wanting Oxfords during the next few months and we
suggest that you make an early selection while the lines of widths and sizes
are full and there is such a choice variety of styles from which to make your
selection.

MEN'S SHOES

Oxfords, ties and pumps in new spring models, black or tan leathers.

\$2.50, \$4.00 to \$5.00

WOMEN'S SHOES

Oxfords, Ribbon Ties and new Ankle Strap.

Our Low Cut Shoes are correctly made, and if we do the fitting there will
be no slipping at the heel or gaping.

BUY YOUR EASTER SHOES THIS WEEK AT

GOODING'S, 230 North Main St.

**WANTED FOR RENT, LOW
FOR SALE, ETC.**

WANTED.

WANTED—Good agent for this ter-
ritory to sell our Famous Genu-
ine House Remedies. No money
required to start. Credit given.
Write for liberal plan. Vossua Co.,
51 Vossua Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WANTED—To rent a farm of 50
100 acres. With water for pas-
ture. Telephone W. C. Scott, line
128, Delphos, O.

WANTED—Young men for railway
mail service. Examination Apr.
15. Intending applicants should
begin preparation at once. Sample
questions and "How Government
Positions are Secured," sent free.
Inter-State Schools, 289 College
Place, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

WANTED—Good girl for general
housework. References required.
506 W. Market St.

WANTED—Lots to plant. Inquire at
131 E. Market St., May & Sons
cigar store. Both phones.

WANTED—Girl for general house
work. Good wages to right per-
son. Must be experienced. German pre-
ferred. Apply at 616 West Spring
street. New phone 11444.

WANTED—\$36 a week and expenses
to men with rig to introduce pol-
ity and stock powders; experience
unnecessary; reliable company and
exclusive territory given. The
Grant Co., Dept. 95, Springfield,
Ill.

WIFE WANTED—Owner of a 26-
acre improved farm near Van Wert
desires a wife 20 to 40 years old,
No children. Address, J. W. Wal-
lace, Kalida, O.

WANTED—Men and women sol-
diers. A chance for you to make
big money during your spare mo-
ments. No money required. Peo-
ple who are doing soliciting and
collecting at the present time will
find this a valuable sideline. Call
or address "Easy Money" at the
Times-Democrat office.

WANTED—GIRLS, SIXTEEN
YEARS OF AGE AND UPWARD
TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAK-
ING TRADE. WILL PAY \$20
PER WEEK FOR THE FIRST
MONTH, \$5.50 PER WEEK FOR
THE SECOND MONTH; THERE-
AFTER 80 MUCH PER HUN-
DRED CIGARS. AFTER TRADE
HAS BEEN ACQUIRED CAN
EARN FROM \$6.00 TO \$12.00
PER WEEK DEPENDING EX-
PERIENCE. NO SKILL AND SPEED
OF WORKER. APPLY EITHER
FACTORY. THE DEISEL-WES-
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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—3 houses well located,
Inquire of 742 W. North. H. A.
Moore. Phone 610

FOR RENT—5-room modern house
W. North St. \$11.00. 6-room
house Holly St. \$11.00. The Dunn
Co., 331 Holland Block. 634-2-3

FOR RENT—House on west North
street, 9 rooms, modern, and
furnace, large cistern and bath.
Get key at next door east. 1-21

FOR RENT—A desirable 7-room
house on Vine, second door from
car line. Inquire at Park Grocery,
corner Metcalf and Bine. 493-3

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for
light housekeeping. All modern
conveniences. Inquire at 724 W.
North street. 6-21

FOR RENT—5-room apartment,
modern, except heat, on 2nd floor,
in Chester flats, 733 west High
street, bath, hot water, front and
back porch. Rent \$15. Inquire
on premises or call New phone
1435R. 6-21

FOR RENT—Fine 6-room house,
bath, pantry, good closet, room,
furnace. Corner Collet and High
streets. New phone 508M. 9-21

OR RENT—A desirable flat on car
line, at corner of Metcalf and
Vine streets. Call at The Park
Grocery. 6-17-21

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A property
on southeast corner Metcalf and
Spring. Apply R. W. Melley, 329
north West street. 6-21-20d

FOR SALE—Two fine young driving
horses. One's sire has a record of
2:10 1/4. Near Perry Union church
3 1/2 miles southeast of city. New
phone 8 long, 1 short. Rural 9.
W. H. Conner. 6-21

FOR SALE—Brand new 6-room
house, west side, strictly modern,
furnace, bath room, fireplace, hot
and cold, city and cistern water,
chandeliers, elegantly papered.
All modern conveniences and ready
to occupy. Convenient to car
line. A bargain at \$2,900. The
Dunn Co., 331 Holland block. 631-2-3

FOR SALE—Eight room modern
house, west side. Oak finish, fur-
nace, bath room, large lot and barn.
A beautiful home. Price \$4,500.
Easy terms or will take small prop-
erty part payment. Lock Box 42,
Lima, Ohio. 632-7-6

FOR SALE—Our entire stock of
new hand-made vehicles at cost.
We are going out of business.
Lease for sale. Palmer & Kaler,
rear of Interurban station. 4k-21

VERDICT RETURNED

Judgment Awarded Plaintiff in Damage Case Against L. E. & W.

WIFE CHARGES EXTREME CRUELTY.

Motion Filed in Circuit Court in Standard Outer Proceedings.

In the case of M. E. Swartz against the Lake Erie and Western Railway Company, the jury returned a verdict Tuesday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock, awarding the plaintiff judgment in the sum of \$4,500. The plaintiff sought to recover \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband. It was alleged that the deceased met his death through the negligence of the agents of the defendant. The case had been tried twice before in common pleas court, a disagreement resulting in each trial. The jury retired in the third trial Monday evening and after hearing 24 hours deliberation, succeeded in reaching the above verdict.

Motion Filed. Attorneys for the defense in the case of Swartz against the Lake Erie and Western Railway Company, have filed a motion for a judgment, notwithstanding the verdict of the jury. They have also filed a motion for a new trial, setting out fifteen reasons why the same should be granted.

Divorce Suit. Nellie Shobe filed suit for divorce from her husband, William, Tuesday evening, in which the petition states that they were married March 11, 1907, and that two children, one now 10 years and another 18 months of age, were born to the union. She alleges that the defendant has been guilty of extreme cruelty and that he had repeatedly struck her with his fist and with a club. Two specific dates of this occurrence are named, June 10 and December 15, 1908. She alleges that he is the owner of \$500 in personal property and asks for an injunction to restrain him from disposing of the same. She prays for a decree, custody of the children and reasonable alimony.

Motions Filed. Motions were filed Wednesday in the cases of the State of Ohio, ex rel. Wade H. Ellis, as attorney general of the state, against the Ohio Oil Company, The Buckeye Pipe Line Company and The Solar Refining Company, quo warranto and ouster proceedings, which were heard by the circuit court at the November term. At that time the court expressed the opinion that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey should be a party to the suit and granted the plaintiff the privilege of making the same experts defendant. The motions, filed Thursday, make reference to the decision of the court and is filed by Attorney General U. G. Deamman, who states that upon examination he finds that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey is a foreign corporation and has no legal representative in the state of Ohio and further that service cannot be obtained. For that reason he states that he has not availed himself of the privilege granted and for the further reason that the cases have been pending for the past five years, asks that the court determine the cause at the session here next Tuesday and render judgment.

To Quiet Title. Ted Clarke has brought suit against Abbie Diehl and others and Wm. Spurr et al. to quiet title to lot 12 in Bluffton.

Commissioners. The commissioners are viewing the F. F. Settlement ditch, in Jackson township.

Appointment. August P. Fritz has been appointed executor of the estate of Jacob Fritz, late of this city.

STRAIN TOO GREAT. Chicago, April 7.—Frank W. Lytle, who was indicted following the failure of the bank of which he was president at Dowagiac, Mich., was found dead in bed today in his room at 49 St. James palace. An investigation is being made.

DR. C. G. VOLLMEYER, Veterinary Surgeon. Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College. Office with J. H. Blattenberg. Father Phone 133.

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THE IDLER

A. L. McKatrick, who is employed in a local haberdashery, was married on last Sunday to Mrs. Lida Cook-Goldberg, of Bellefontaine, and they have gone to house-keeping here.

A new York paper challenged the verities of the country to make a rhyme for tariff. The gauntlet was picked up by the rhymester of the Grand Rapids Press with the following result:
Ma said she needed some new gloves
Dad said he'd buy a pair if
It wasn't for Sereus Payne
And his new fangled tariff.

W. K. Vanderbilt has abandoned automobilism.
"It seems eccentric in these times," said Mr. Vanderbilt at a dinner in New York, "not to motor. Everybody motors nowadays. Rich and poor alike, we all have our cars. Motor cars have become, like slippers or hats, a necessity."

"In fact," continued Mr. Vanderbilt, "I can almost believe the beggar story I heard yesterday."

"A beggar rang a suburban door-bell. The mistress of the house appeared, frowned at the man and said:
"Go away, please. I haven't got any cold victuals, or old clothes, or old boots, or old overcoats, or—"

"Excuse me, ma'am," the beggar humbly interrupted. "I didn't want nothin' to eat or wear. I just called to see, ma'am, if you had an old automobile to give away."

It is a strange but certain fact that the women who murder their husbands are always pretty or handsome.

The millennium is close at hand. A Hamilton brewer announces he will not sell his beer to a saloon keeper who violates the Sunday closing law.

Since the small boys have had their attention called to it, there will probably be a large number leave for the west with mother's butcher knife to fight the few remaining Indians.

Dr. Hamilton Hall, editor of the New York Independent, and a member of the Hague peace conference, in a lecture delivered in Kansas City Monday night, truthfully disclosed that the "great danger to this country lay in the purchased press."

"Papers in the employ of special interests, how can they be of service to the public?" asked Mr. Holt.

The Supreme Court yesterday granted an injunction until May 1, to restrain the city of Columbus from collecting a municipal license from automobile owners in addition to the license collected by the state. The case will be heard on its merits later.

The Mt. Gilead Register suggests that more bibles would be a better thing for the country than more battleships.

Evidently congress is not superstitious else it would not have fixed the time for a final vote on the tariff bill on Friday—Hagusan's Day.

The editor of the Whitehall, Mich. Forum offers the following to subscribers:

"Don't you think it is about time to drop into the Forum office and cause the editor to have a fit by paying for the Forum a year or so in advance? We will agree to throw a very artistic spasm, and if you pay for two years we will have two fits. We've got a nice clean place on the floor already in anticipation of the response to this offer. We make the following rates:—one fit, \$1; two fits, \$2; five fits for \$3. Don't miss this great chance. Come one come all."

The young men who shower silk hostess on their best girls will not object if these extremely covets go so high that it will be fashionable to go bare footed, and the sex return to simple clothes environments.

Frank Fish, of Dayton, as a representative to the Grand Council of the U. C. T., which is scheduled to meet in Springfield, June 11-15, says as follows concerning the rumor going about that because Clark county went dry the place of holding the convention would be changed:

"I can say that not a man in the order would stay away on account of the city being dry and that no change will be made under any circumstances."

"The principles of our order are unity, charity and temperance (U. C. T.). While we are not teetotalers, temperance is one of our strongest principles."

A practice which might be followed with benefit to all concerned, is that of the Lake township school board of Locan county. They have employed a music teacher for the four schools in the township, who will devote one day each week to each school in the township. The children of the rural districts are thereby enabled to have practically the same advantages as those in the graded schools of the city.

Mayor Becker is in receipt of a cordial invitation to be present and actively participate in the second National Peace Congress to be held in Chicago, May 3-5, and that he become an honorary member of the congress. Mayor Becker is also asked to have the city represented by ten or more delegates, and he desires it stated that he will gladly furnish credentials to any ten of Lima's citizens who desire to attend the congress.

LOAD OF HAY
Turned Over by the High Wind Today.

The high wind prevailing Wednesday morning proved annoying to pedestrians and many others. Mr. Carl Floren, accompanied by his brother, Eli, who live on the Boese farm east of the city, were driving into the city in the morning with a load of hay. As they drove around the corner from Pine to Wayne street, the wind caught the load broadside and turned it over, throwing the two men across the street. They sustained a few bruises but were not seriously injured.

Grand Opening

Thursday Evening, April 8th,

Of Morris Bros'. New Shoe Store in Their Block 219 North Main Street, Lima, Ohio.

Morris Bros. request the honor of your presence at the formal opening of their New Shoe Store to the public on Thursday evening, April 8th, 1909. Music will be in attendance from 7:30 to 9:30 and plenty of courteous gentlemen to show everybody through. All goods are marked in plain figures—no guess work; and every pair of shoes is a pair of new shoes—no old stock—everything new. There will not be any goods sold on the evening of the opening. We will open for business

Friday Morning, April 9th

And positively a fair honest deal to all. Money cheerfully refunded to any person dissatisfied with any purchase, no difference how large or how small. We figure that a satisfied customer is the best advertisement in the world, and it will be our every aim to satisfy and please everybody. Remember this is an entirely new stock and we invite your inspection. Something for everybody.

Morris Bros.

DEALERS IN SHOE SATISFACTION.

Morris Block.

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BEAUTIFUL EASTER PLANTS

Lilies, in all sizes, Daffodils, Hyacinths, Tulips, Azalaes, Spiraea, etc. Cut Flowers of the different kinds. The best Easter stock we ever offered.

EGGERT N. ZETLITZ

The Leading Florist.

LARGE NUMBER

Of Answers Were Filed But None Was Correct.

The interest in the missing word contest continues without abatement and an unusually large number of answers were received this morning, but none was correct.

The stumbling block seemed to be the word "brother," in the Webb Bible and Book Co.'s advertisement, for no one had it in the list, although several had the remainder of the combination correct.

The group of words omitted is as follows:

"Priced," from "priced at \$2.50 and \$3.00 the pair," Carter & Carroll. "Satisfactorily," from "repairing done satisfactorily," J. F. Schott. "brother," from "that's right, brother," Webb Book & Bible Co. "let," from "let me tell you why," Mabel Myers.

HOT CROSS BUNS
Good Friday at Stotsenbach's.
None better than Gold Medal Flour Buns.

THE STAGE.

"The End of the Trail," which is to be again produced at the Faudrot by Willis F. Jackson, on Thursday night, caused a great sensation and aroused the strongest interest when it was presented here before. It is difficult to stage a play of the west and get the real atmosphere of that thrilling country but this piece fairly breathes the air of the open plains and makes one feel as if one were living on the old Santa Rosita ranch and sharing the joys and sorrows of the characters in the play. The cast is more than good. Seats now selling.

L. O. T. M. No. 197 Benefit at the Orphium Theatre.
The Macabees benefit tickets are pouring into the Orphium and this promises to be equal to any of the benefits so far given. The ladies of the Macabees are good hustlers and are getting good results. These tickets are good until Friday, so owing to the tremendous crowds the Orphium is drawing it would be a wise plan to order your tickets in advance. The entire show is excellent this week each and every act a distinct feature and hit.
It invigorates, strengthens and builds up, keeps you in condition, physically and mentally. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 25 cents, Tea or Tablets H. F. Vertkamp.



OUR EASTER FOOTWEAR

The rustle of Easter Garments is already in the air. Every Spring Suit and every new and dainty dress will need new footwear. Easter is the time to appear. Don't mar your whole appearance with old shoes.

For Men

We've new and swell styles in lace or button Shoes, Oxfords and Ties, choice bright leathers on lasts that show the work of an artistic designer. Florsheim, Regal and Thompson's, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$5

For Women

Handsome dress boots in lace or button styles, ribbon ties, pumps, etc. New ideas in great variety, every size, any width, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50

We've not neglected the little people for we have new and handsome footwear for boys and girls of all ages and for baby, too. At your service always.

THE BLUM SHOE CO.,

Agents for REGAL Shoes.

138 North Main St.



FUNERAL SERVICE.

The funeral services of Mrs. Thos. Jewell, whose remains arrived here this morning, will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the Chris-

tian Alliance church, corner of Main and Third streets. Interment will follow in Woodlawn.

Friday is the day for HOT CROSS BUNS at Stotsenbach's.

NOTICE.

The Ladies' Aid society of the U. B. church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the church.

THE LIMA TIMES-DEMOCRAT

MISSING WORD CONTEST

By Oscar Austill, Elwood, Ind.

Here is an opportunity for the careful and industrious reader of advertisements to earn a dollar a day. Read over every advertisement each day and send to "Missing Word Contest Editor," at Times-Democrat office your answer, according to the conditions of contest as given below. It will pay every person to read these advertisements for the bargains that are described in them, aside from the dollar to be earned by the person who sends in the first correct list.

CONDITIONS OF CONTEST:

In several of the advertisements on this page there has been a word left out purposely. Read each ad carefully and see if you can find the missing words.

To the first person who finds those and brings or sends them to the Times-Democrat office we will give one dollar in cash.

Write on one side of the paper, giving the word and the name of the firm from which the word was missing.

Write your name and address plainly on the paper. Seal in a plain envelope and bring or send it to the Missing Word Editor, Times-Democrat. No answers received by telephone.

No answer will be received before 8 o'clock a. m. of the day following the publication of these advertisements.

The name of the winner will be published in this column daily.

SEWING MACHINES.

Save one-half by buying your sewing machine from us. The latest improved ball bearing, automatic lift, etc., at very low prices. Every machine is warranted for 10 years.

DAVISHER BROS.,

216-218 S. Main Street.

FLOWERS.

3 thousand bunches of new FLOWERS to trim up your early Spring HAT.

Only 10c.

SEE THEM IN WINDOW.

THE LEADER.

Carter & Carroll The One Price Cash Store.

PRETTY WAISTS FOR EASTER.

Tailor-made and Lingerie Waists in splendid values, specially priced at \$1, \$1.50 and up to \$3.50.

Women's charming Lingerie and Net Waists, extraordinary values at \$3.98, \$5.00 and up to \$7.50.

Extremely handsome Waists, made of sheerest batistes, trimmed with the finest of laces and insertions, enticingly priced at \$5, \$7.50 and \$12.50.

The season's most beautiful Waists in pure white open mesh nets, and embroidery combinations, used to produce the much desired long lines, priced at \$10, \$15 and \$22.50.



AWNINGS

For your store or residence, made in Lima, 3rd floor Collins block.

HARMON BUSHNET,

Successor to Robinson Mfg. Co., New Phone 1619.

SAN

FELICE CIGAR

For Gentlemen of Good Taste.

MILLINERY OPENING.

The new store, 212 west High street, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 26, 27, 28. The latest ideas in high class millinery will be shown.

MRS. INA SANDERS.

DOY AS A FISH

Maybe

You don't have to be a camel but remember

LAUGHLIN.

Every species of Fish in season. New Phone 1490 A. Old 533. 207 S. Main Street.

THE CARE OF THE EYES

Should be in the hands of a good optician. This you will find in

J. P. HALL,
Jeweler and Optician,
140 North Main.

BICYCLE REPAIRING

Have opened up my new place and am equipped to do all kinds of Bicycle Repairing. Umbrellas neatly re-covered. Give me a trial.

O. O. MURRAY,
216 West High Street.

For French Dry Cleaning and Pressing, go to

THE LIMA SUITTORIUM

133 North Elizabeth Street.
Opposite Postoffice.
New Phone 1222. Lima, O.

The best of Crown and Bridge Work for three dollars

NEW SYSTEM DENTISTS,
210 North Main Street.
Black Building.

Call on J. F. Schott, 401-403, South Main Street Bridge

Bicycle shop for new and second hand wheels and first class rubber goods; also handle tires for baby carriages. All kind of repairing done satisfactorily

Samuel Baker, the Wall Paper man has just received his spring stock of Wall Paper and would be glad to square with you on your work. He handles the J. P. Pierce standard line of latest patterns. Some attractive bargains in cheap patterns. Samuel Baker, 692 1/2 S. Main St.

The deft touch of a competent milliner can add greatly to the appearance of a hat and this is one of the reasons our hats always look just right. We fit them to the head. The price fits the purse, also.

VAN HORN & CO'S.
S. W. Cor. Main & Spring.

FELDMANN & CO.,

See us for your Easter gloves, hosiery neckwear, ribbons, kerchiefs, corsets and fancy novelties. Prices always right.

Everything in Hardware

J. J. EWING,

223-227 North Main Street.

WALL PAPER.

If you want wall paper that looks right, and is right, and at the right price, Heiniger's is the place.

SHEET METAL WORKS.

Special attention given to Roofing, Spouting and General Repairing. Prices reasonable.

Baumgardner & Goetts,
Collins Bldg., N. W. Cor. Square.
New Phone 1223.

The largest line of Room Size Rugs ever shown in Lima at

HOOVER & BOND,
S. E. Cor. Square, Lima, O.

We handle strictly home killed meat of the finest quality; also fresh fish and poultry.

McChesbridge & McClintock,
902 S. Main St.
New phone 1146; Old phone 536

Our Spring Line of Carpets and Rugs is now complete. Let us show you.

HOOVER-ROUSH CO.
37 Public Square.

The best place to buy groceries where everything is neat and clean and at the right price is at the

L. D. SMITH Grocery,
688 S. Main. Both phones.

"HIKE AND HAM"

Are popular cigar dealers on S. Main St. When in their vicinity and you want a good cigar or to play a game of pool and billiards drop in.

674 South Main Street.

The difference between love and a bad shoe is, one pinches the heart and the other pinches the foot; the first can't always be cured, but the latter take to the

ELECTRIC SHOE REPAIRER,
219 S. Main. Donze Block.

SABLE'S

DELICATESSEN,

Interurban Station Bldg.

"Chop Suey" by a Chinese Cook.

Remember that Theo Feist sells and buys new and second hand furniture and stoves at

316 E. MARKET STREET.
Best place in Lima for Bargains.

Special \$1.00 Willow Clothes Basket, this week, only 29c.

HOOVER & BOND.
The Outfitters.

The Wise House-wife will
Use none but

PRIDE OF LIMA

The Perfect Family Flour.
Sold by all Good Grocers.

The American Beauty Corset is warranted to give entire satisfaction to the wearer. We have styles to fit all tastes, 69c to \$3.
The FELTZ BROS. DRY GOODS COMPANY.
1st Door South of Court House.

Philadelphia Steam Dye Works.
(Established 1885.)
Steam and French process dry-cleaning of ladies' and gent's garments. Work called for and delivered. Office 125 E. High St. Works, 320 N. Jameson Ave. Office, new phone 442, works, new phone 527 M.

LET US FIGURE

With you on your next lumber bill. None too large or none too small for us to handle. Doors sash are found here in all styles and materials.
LAURENS HULL LUMBER CO.,
Cor. Pearl and Union Streets.
Both Phones.

THE ASSORTMENT
I carry embraces all the late styles in millinery; - also all grades from the medium to the higher priced but I am enabled to sell them cheaper than elsewhere. Come in and let me tell you why.
MAUDE MYERS, Milliner,
321 S. Main St. Near the Bridge

WE ARE EQUIPPED

To do any and all kinds of plumbing and furnish all kinds of supplies, and we do the work when promised at prices that please.
H. B. CHASE, The Plumber,
The Old Schilling Stand, S. E. Corner Square.

JUST ARRIVED.

The Martha Washington candy at
LESTERN,
Something special every day in home cooking
120 West Market Street.
Orphium Building.

We keep in stock a large assortment of the various styles of Spectacles and Eye Glasses. We call special attention to invisible bifocals, also the new toric lenses. We are equipped to grind our lenses enabling us to turn out work in the shortest possible time.
Dr. L. Hudson, Rooms 30-31-32, Holmes Block, 331 N. Main St.

JAP-A-LAC
For everything. Paints, Oil and Varnish, at
SOUTH SIDE DRUG STORE,
Telephone Your Wants.

NO. RENTS
And small expenses enable us to furnish you wall paper and do your decorating cheaper than any other firm. Get our prices. See our stock
L. WHEELER & SON,
120 E. Kibby. Both Phones.

"OTTAWA CHIEF" FLOUR
Is a household word in all the good homes of Lima. It is sold by

T. O. STANLEY,
Flour and Feed. 121-123 E. Spring St. Old Phone 136. New Phone 1524 C.

Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Crockery, Cutlery, Bicycles, Etc. Complete House Furnished.
CASH OR CREDIT.
JAS. O'CONNOR,
North Main Street.

THOSE PICTURES
You have been thinking of having framed should be brought here at once. We will do it in an artistic and inexpensive manner.
BROUGH JUDY,
327 North Main Street.

You are cordially invited to come and see my line of Gage Bros. patterns and tailored hats.
MRS. JAMES,
Orphium Building.

SOUTH SIDE TAILORING CO.
Merchant Tailors.
CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.
676 South Main Street.

WE HAVE THEM!
It has been the talk of the town it is the Thor Motor Cycle, the finest ever put out, \$150. It is perfect in every way. We have a full line of bicycles and supply at lowest prices.
A. J. GLADWELL,
606 S. Main St.

We have a first class country store which will involve two thousand. The building and stock can be bought for three thousand five hundred. Will trade for property
TOMLINSON & MOWERY,
Bldg 414. 422 South Main.

GEO. W. WOOD CO.,
Has on hand at all times a fine line of chandeliers and gas lamps. We will pipe your house for gas lights, put on the chandeliers and lamps. Estimates free.
135 W. Spring St. Both phones.

PIANOS!
The best pianos the world produces, the Baldwin line, at almost wholesale prices. It pays to get the best. Short music at half price.
J. C. MEARES,
23 Public Square. Lima, O.

BOX CANDY
We have a fine line of box candy consisting of the best productions of Stacy's Sorority, United States Candy Co., and also some of Santa's fine chocolates. Come in and see us.
V. CARDONI & CO.

GOOD CANDY.
A cool, sparkling drink or a delicious dope are specialties at
A. E. SIMS,
107 West Market Street.

FOX BRO'S.
French Dry Cleaners and Dyers. We clean any thing that is cleanable, and all work is guaranteed. Repairing neatly done. New phone 1942 M.
122 East North Street.

ASK FOR VOTES.

In paying your subscription for the Daily Times-Democrat at the office or to the collector, please dollar or more, please and ask for the votes.

Votes will only be issued at the time the subscription is paid and will positively not be issued on receipts.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8
Return Engagement.

THE END OF THE TRAIL.

With WILLIS F. JACKSON.

Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c

Theatrical Opera House
Thursday, April 15, 1909

The Man from Nevada

Produced Under the Auspices of Local Union No. 54.

J. B. I. U. of A.

A HALF MILLION DOLLARS AND MORE
PAID HOME BUILDERS IN LIMA AND VICINITY

The Lima Home & Savings Association and its desire is to add others to this large class of thrifty people who have been able to own their own homes in town or country, make a profit with us, we will make a profit equal to two-thirds of the amount and charge you 6 per cent interest. The loan can be repaid in full or in even hundred dollars at any time.

We also ask the patronage of the investing class and pay 5 per cent interest compounded semi-annually. We observe the security for your money on homes as the depositor's money and are his protection. Come in and let us talk over the details with you.

Officers and Directors.
J. K. Boone, President.
H. Corv, Vice-President.
E. P. Sprague, Secretary and Treasurer.
H. Kibby, Treasurer.
H. Melville, Jos. Potter, Ira Jones, E. A. Bogart and R. W. Weaver.

THE HOME & SAVINGS ASSN.,
Sonic Bldg., West of Postoffice,
Lima, Ohio.

Our Money is Yours, IF YOU WANT IT.

You can have any amount from \$10 to \$100, if you say the word. We are as anxious to make a small loan as a large one.

It is a PLEASURE to us to help you if you are in need of money.

We always treat everyone fair. We want to have it said of us that we have given SQUARE treatment.

The only evidence we ask of your ability to pay is the possession of household goods, autos, horses and wagons, or anything of value.

Have you any debts to pay? WE WILL PAY THEM.

CITY LOAN CO.

Room 12, Cincinnati Block, Over Killeman's.

S. P. Meeting, April 7.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Pacific Company was held at the offices of the company at about 4 o'clock. Directors were elected and the stockholders voted to authorize an issue of \$100,000 worth of stock consisting of 100,000 shares at \$100 per share.

COMPLETE SURPRISE

Given Senior Member of Firm of Hawisher Bros. Last Night.

HAPPY EVENT

WAS ARRANGED By Thoughtful Wife and Enjoyed by Employees and Friends.

Mr. John Hawisher, senior member of the firm of Hawisher Bros., was a much surprised man last night. Mrs. Hawisher has been remembering that April 6th marked another milestone in the life journey of her spouse, but the good man had wholly forgotten it. Last evening he was called to a house on East Market street to talk sewing machine to the lady who resided there. As soon as he had disappeared, every clerk hastened to his home, and prepared himself for a social event.

About six-thirty Mr. Hawisher reached home, and was asked by his wife to hurry into supper which was waiting for him. Dipping himself of his coat as he went, he entered the dining room and stood filled with astonishment. And well might he. The room was occupied by four tables, decorated with beautiful bouquets of flowers, cut glass, china, and candles, and seated around these tables were the employees of the firm. The guests enjoying the delightful hospitality of the dinner hour were: Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Hawisher, Charles Truesdale, Jake Haley, E. L. Woodward, Gus and Billy Kettler, James Zimmerman, Robert Burns, Carney Huffman, Al Miller, John Moultrie, Mrs. Miller, Alice Mahoney and Hilda Hawisher, several of the employees being unable to be present.

Shortly before eight o'clock this party took their departure, despite the protests of the host, and soon after the door bell rang and he opened the door, finding the porch, the steps and the walk filled with people. These were members of the Lutheran church, friends, neighbors and acquaintances, who had been notified of the event and who had gathered to do honor to Mr. Hawisher.

The second party numbered almost one hundred, and a merry time was had by every one, music and singing, together with an address of congratulation by Rev. F. M. Traub making up an informal program. A smoking set was presented as a remembrance by these friends, and Mrs. Hawisher remembered her husband with a handsome diamond pin. A pocket-book from an absent friend was another pleasant remembrance.

PAVING COMMITTEE Will Report in Favor of Requested Improvements.

The paving committee of the city council met Tuesday evening to consider various petitions for street paving. The committee will report to an adjourned meeting of the council this evening, in favor of the improvement of Kibby, Metcalf, Collett streets, St. Johns and Atlantic avenues and Mulberry alley, and it is probable that the solicitor will have the necessary resolutions prepared to take action upon these improvements tonight.

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GEO. STATE NEWS.

John E. Garfield, cousin to President Garfield, is dead of old age. Attorney General Nathan announced promotion of P. T. Hargrave to vacancy made by appointment of O. E. Harrison as assistant to Wade Miller, and the appointment of James Wilson to position held by Hargrave.

Governor Harman invited to attend democratic banquet at Toledo.

Head of dog that had bitten several people in Tuscarawas county, examined by state bacteriologist, and animal reported as having rabies.

Promoter of Butler county reduction charge against Bertha Barber for killing her husband from first to second degree murder.

Springfield meeting of U. C. T. will not be called off because Clark county voted dry.

Mrs. A. Klappenstein, of Bucyrus, died of grief caused by the sudden death of her husband.

The death of Rev. Father J. P. McCloskey, who has been in Ashtabula since resigning from the pastorate of the church of the Immaculate Conception in Toledo, because of ill health, is momentarily expected.

YOUNG MEN WANTED.

United States Government Civil Railway Mail Clerks \$2000 a Year to Start, and Increase to \$1200.

Uncle Sam will hold an examination for Railway Mail Clerks in the vicinity of Lima and throughout the United States on May 15. Many ambitious young men, with only a very ordinary school education, can readily pass. The government wants young men over 18 with common sense, to take examinations for railway mail clerks and carriers, and the Government Positions Bureau, of Rochester, N. Y., with its peculiar knowledge of the requirements of the examination, can fit any young man in a very short time to pass. A government position means steady work, good pay, and a yearly vacation. There is time to prepare for the May 15 examinations, and any reader of the Times-Democrat can get full information how to proceed, free of charge, by writing The Government Positions Bureau, 883 Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

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TAKES

Thinks Tariff Bill Will Carry Out All Pledges.

Washington, April 7.—President Taft told Senator Culver of North Dakota that he believed the new tariff bill as finally passed by congress would fulfill the platform pledges made at the Chicago convention last June, and would be a revision downward.

EIGHT MILLIONS FOR COURT ROOMS.

Washington, April 7.—Senator Gallinger has re-introduced the bill providing for a separate building for the supreme court of the United States. The structure would be situated just outside of the capitol grounds and immediately north of the congressional library building to which, it is proposed, the exterior architecture of the supreme court building should correspond. The total cost of the building is fixed at \$8,000,000.

BAD WEATHER MADE HIM STIFF.

Wooster, O., April 7.—Stiff in his joints and walking with great difficulty, Edward Payson Weston, resumed his westward journey at 5 o'clock this morning. His next stop will be at Mansfield, 35 miles distant. Weston's stiffness was due to his exposure of Tuesday when he spent most of the day in the rain.

Wood's Liver Medicine is a liver regulator which brings quick relief to sick headache, constipation, biliousness and other symptoms of liver disorders. Particularly recommended for Jaundice, Chills, Fever, Malaria. The \$1.00 also contains 2 1/2 times as much as the 50c size. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store.

WARD STEAMER HITS FREIGHTER.

New York, April 7.—The Ward line steamer Havana ran into the Munson line freighter Cubana near the quarantine station on Staten Island at 7:20 a. m., tearing a large hole in the Cubana's side near the stern. The Havana was not damaged. The Cubana was towed by tugs toward the beach at Clifton, Staten Island.

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CHAS. H. HUBBARD

Anti-License Candidate for Mayor of Illinois Oil Town.

ROBINSON ARGUES

GIVES HIM BOOST

As One Identified With Best and Right on Liquor Question.

Among the successful oil men who went from Lima to Robinson, Illinois, in the early period of the development of the rich oil fields of that state was Chas. H. Hubbard, a Lima boy. Success attended him there as it did in the Ohio fields, and now he has blossomed into a figure in the municipal and political life of Robinson, the chief town in the Sucker state oil field, and is a candidate for mayor.

Concerning Mr. Hubbard and his candidacy the Robinson Argus says—and it does not say too much—the following: "Charles H. Hubbard is not a professional politician, but has been placed before the community as the majority candidate of the Anti-Liquor Ticket solely as a representative citizen, who, from personal contact, understands the needs of his fellow men and the community, and will minister to them with comprehension and in a business manner. Mr. Hubbard is in the full prime of life. He was born thirty-eight years ago in Lima, O., Oct. 29, 1871, in which city he was graduated from the high school.

Equipped with a thorough business education he entered the oil business in 1888, and became prominent in the development of the Ohio fields. Later he moved to Montpelier and Muncie, Ind., and this month marks the fourth anniversary of his arrival in the Crawford county fields. Mr. Hubbard has large vested interests in this community; among others is a beautiful home which he built on East Pine street, where he resides with his wife and daughter. "Mr. Hubbard has ever been identified with the self-respecting element in his attitude toward the public morality and liquor question. Beginning as a self-sustaining newsboy he has had an honorable and gratifying advancement to a reputation of more than local distinction. His friends know Mr. Hubbard as a generous and large-hearted gentleman whose keen sense of justice and personal honor mark him as a model candidate for a position which demands as its incumbent an exponent of the doctrine of the square deal."

This is the season of listlessness, headaches and spring disorders. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a sure preventative. Makes you strong and vigorous. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. H. E. Vorkamp

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WITH INTEREST WORLD WATCHES.

Paris, April 7.—The scientific world is watching with deep interest an experiment for the cure of cancer by radium, which, aside from its novelty, promises the most extraordinary results.

A speck of radium valued at \$5000 has been sent up in the stomach of a woman, a patient at the Pasteur institute, an effort to destroy a cancerous growth. The cure is being attempted by Dr. Roux, who is Pasteur's natural successor.

Dr. Roux used a tiny glass tube and a speck of radium no bigger than a pin's head, but worth \$5000, in his operation. He then carefully sewed up the wound, kept the patient under observation for 48 hours until the wound began to heal, and now has announced that if in a month no mortification or sign of inflammation is left it will mean that the cancer has disappeared.

A feature of the experiment is that in case it is successful the radium can be used time and time again without diminishing its curative qualities.

SEVERAL IMPORTANT

Amendments to Payne Tariff Bill Accepted by Committee.

CHILDREN'S TOYS PUT ON FREE LIST.

Duty of Sixty Per Cent Restored as in Dingleg Bill.

Washington, April 7.—The ways and means committee today agreed to several important amendments to the Payne tariff bill. The duty on crude cocoa was reduced from 1 to 3 cents per pound.

Byrites was raised from 75 cents to \$1.50 a ton.

The paragraph relating to toys was stricken out and a new one inserted exempting rubber and porcelain toys from taxes.

Paragraph 323 was changed so as to tax tire fabrics or fabrics used for pneumatic tires at 45 per cent ad valorem. This meant to tax long staple cotton used in the fabric.

In the steel and iron schedule steel ingots, blooms and slabs were reduced from 1 cent to eight-tenths of a cent and from 4-10 to 4-10 of a cent a pound. The ad valorem duty on boiler and plate iron or steel was stricken out. Some of them were strictly reduced. The paragraph of the Bingley law providing a duty of fifty per cent ad valorem on silk bindings, which had been consolidated in the paragraph of the Payne bill, which provides a duty of sixty per cent on laces was restored.

Best Treatment for Colds. "Most ordinary colds will yield to the simplest treatment," says the Chicago Tribune, "moderate laxatives, hot foot baths, a free respiration, and an avoidance of exposure to cold and wet after treatment." While this treatment is simple, it requires considerable trouble, and the one adopting it must remain in doors for a day or two, or a fresh cold is almost sure to be contracted, and in many instances pneumonia follows. It is not better to pin your faith to an old reliable preparation like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, that is famous for its cures of colds and can always be depended upon? For sale by all druggists.

TALKED BARLEY FOR SOME HOURS.

Washington, April 7.—To the exclusion of all other business the house today further considered the Payne tariff bill for amendment. The first subject to come up for discussion was barley, upon which there was considerable discussion yesterday. There are two amendments pending on that schedule, one fixing the duty at twenty-five cents a bushel and the other placing it at ten per centum ad valorem as against the rate of fifteen cents a bushel provided for in the bill.

The rapidity with which the lumber and hide schedules were disposed of leads to the conclusion among the majority leaders that the time fixed for a final vote will be amply sufficient to enable full and free discussion of the schedules rules discussed Saturday.

As a substitute for both amendments, Mr. Humphrey of Washington offered an amendment placing barley on the free list.

DOWNWARD COURSE

Fast Being Realized by Lima People. A little backache at first. Daily increasing till the back is lame and weak. Urinary disorders quickly follow: Diabetes and finally Bright's disease. This is the downward course of kidney ills. Don't take this course. Follow the advice of a Lima citizen.

Mrs. Teas Standish, 854 St. Johns avenue, Lima, Ohio, says: "About eighteen months ago my feet began to swell and I had severe pains through my shoulders, shoulders were frequent and my general health was becoming run down. I began to look about for a remedy of some kind but found none so much of Doan's Kidney Pills. I procured a supply at Wm. M. Melville's drug store. After taking the contents of six boxes I was completely cured and have had no occasion to use any medicine since."

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THE ONLY WATER-APPROVED PAIN-EXPELLER IN THE WORLD. It is the only medicine that can be used in all cases of pain, and it is the only medicine that can be used in all cases of pain, and it is the only medicine that can be used in all cases of pain.

8 SELF-HEALING TIMES 4

The regular price of this medicine is 50 cents per bottle, but in order to make it more popular, we have decided to sell it at a special price of 25 cents per bottle. This is a great opportunity for you to get a bottle of this medicine for only 25 cents. Write to J. L. Mead Cyle Company, Chicago, Ill., for a bottle of this medicine.

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THE SUN-MURRAY APPROVED VAUDEVILLE.

Week of Monday, April 5th, 1909.

Big Special Attraction—L. O. T. M. Allen Hise No. 107, B-w-11.

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Matinee daily, 10c. Night, 7:30 and 9 o'clock, 10c and 20c. Children's special matinee Saturday, 5c. Grand concert Sunday evening, 8:15.

Travelling Appearances. Columbus Grove, O., April 7.—Henry Ruple, section foreman at the Ohio Electric Railway Company, at Ottawa, has been made roadmaster of the Lima-Toledo division. Mr. Ruple is yet a very young man. He takes the place of George W. Bussett, who is transferred to the Lima-Piquette division of the same road, vice Patrick O'Shea, who goes to the Lima city lines.

Spring Excursions. Ft. Wayne, Ind., April 7.—The cheap spring excursions from Ft. Wayne to Chicago, which have heretofore been a feature each year over the Nickel Plate and Pennsylvania railroads, will probably be called off this spring, owing to the efforts of the local Retail Merchants' Association, which claims that the excursions are detrimental to their trade. The merchants have asked that excursions from surrounding towns to this city be substituted.

NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of April, 1909, at 12 o'clock (noon) at the office of the clerk of the Board of Education of the City of Lima, Ohio, situated in the City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio, the Board of Education of the Lima City School District will sell to the highest bidder bonds of the value of the sum of \$6,000.00. Said bonds are issued in the sum of \$1,000.00 each and run for a period of one to six years and draw interest at the rate of five per cent per annum payable semi-annually. That none of said bonds will be sold for less than the face value thereof, with any interest that may have accrued thereon, and the board reserves the privilege of rejecting any or all bids. That said bonds are provided for and by virtue of the provisions of section No. 2834A of the Revised Statutes of Ohio.

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G. A. HERRETT, Clerk of the Board of Education, Lima, O. mch 9-tu-w-3wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of William McCarey, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of William McCarey, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 3rd day of April, A. D. 1909.

MARY MCCAREY, Executrix
Mackenzie & Wendock, Attorneys for Executrix.

CLEAN SWEEP BY REPUBLICANS.

St. Louis, Mo., April 7.—By a majority of 11,453, Frederick Kreiselman, republican, is elected mayor of St. Louis over his democratic opponent, William G. Worner. The entire republican city ticket was successful with the exception of five members of the house of delegates.

The Most Effective, Certain Cure for Constipation Ever Found is CERENA

A Cure for all Stomach Disorders, and A Delicious Food As Well

JUST quit taking medicine for constipation. Quit; no cathartic, pill or powder ever cured constipation, or ever will. Pills, powders and cathartics will move the bowels, but you know that after every dose, your bowels are in worse condition than they were before. They can't cure constipation and everybody knows it. They've had to take to the pill-box because no better constipation treatment was found.

Now, there is no more excuse for pills. There is a cure, a certain cure, and the cure is Cerena. Cerena is a delicious food and tissue builder as well as the only certain treatment for constipation, indigestion and biliousness. Let your food cure you! Your long-lived, clear-headed, constipation-less 85-year-old grandfathers did it. Why don't you? It was the food they ate that made them well and kept them well. It is the food we don't eat that keeps us sick, thick-thin and weary.

Cerena, though a remarkable remedy, contains no medicine, no drugs; it is made of the most nutritious, selected cereals, combined in a clever way with the essences of life-giving fruits and vegetables—a combination which has never been equaled by any treatment so far known, for the positive cure of constipation, indigestion, fermentation, dyspepsia, lazy liver and biliousness. You will positively be surprised at the natural effectiveness of Cerena. You'll forget you ever had lazy bowels.

Do you know that the majority of diseases arise from self-poisoning through constipation. The first thing your doctor asks you is "How are your bowels?" It has a reason. Constipation is poison, that's the reason.

Cerena will give you a head that is clear, a face that is rosy, a liver that works, and a body clear. Cerena will do it. A remarkable remedy and a delicious food. Fit for a king. Serve it to the whole family, they'll thank it.

Get a package of Cerena today, at your grocer. It will cost you 85 cents only, and you will soon say no 25 cents you ever spent was so well invested.

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STATE FAIR BOARD

Determined to Have Wright Brothers as Feature of Fair.

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS ASKED.

Committee Will Call Upon Them on Return to Dayton.

There is a fixed determination on the part of the members of the state board of agriculture to secure the Wright brothers of Dayton with their flying machines as an attraction at the state fair next fall. A meeting of the board will be held Tuesday of next week and while other matters connected with the fair are to be discussed, the securing of these noted Ohio men will be the chief matter talked over. A committee will probably be appointed to go

to Dayton and meet the brothers upon their return to that city in May. It is believed that state pride will be sufficient to induce them to come, and the price which they will demand, probably \$10,000, is thought by the board will be much more than met by the immense throngs which will come to the fair to see them. Another important question to be discussed next week will be the matter of railroad rates. It is hoped that the railroads will be induced to give liberal concession and through the co-operation of the state railroad commission, the governor and Columbus board of trade this can probably be accomplished. Jacob A. Heidler of Cleveland, a member of the state board, Monday revised the premium list for cattle. Larger premiums will be given this year than ever before and a number of new classes added.

EASTER BAZAAR, APR. 9, 120 W. MARKET ST. EPISCOPAL LADIES.

DR. A. JONES Has moved his Dental Office to the Metropolitan Block. 10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-1222-1223-1224-1225-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